REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	10/798,480
Confirmation Number	6262
Filing Date	March 12, 2004
First Named Inventor	Takayuki ISHII
Group Art Unit	2854
Examiner Name	Daniel James COLILLA
Matter Number	Q80462

FIXED MATERIAL TRANSPORTATION
APPARATUS, LIQUID FIXING APPARATUS
HAVING TRANSPORTATION APPARATUS AND
SUCKING UNIT OF FIXED MATERIAL IN LIQUID
FIXING APPARATUS

Title FIXING APPARATUS
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 Previously submitted Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
iii. ☐ Other b. ☑ Enclosed i. ☐ Amendment/Reply ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) iv. ☐ Petition for Extension of Time v. ☐ Other
2. MISCELLANEOUS a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months b. Other
3. FEES A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$790.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.
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